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SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Well, eventually I think that's what we'll have to consider, and that's...remember, that's capital construction, as we've historically done.

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: So...so we're not really...we're not really gaining anything. If we don't make it a state agency, basically, we're turning over money to someone else in order to perhaps allow them to deteriorate again. It just seems to me that we need to take into account the fact if we were starting from scratch and we said, okay, here we are in the year 2002, let's start a State Fair, would we say, okay, the state will build the buildings and then we will turn over the responsibility of those buildings, the programs, the management, everything, to someone else that we have absolutely no control over. Would you think that was a reasonable proposal? No, you wouldn't. The problem is that we already have these buildings. We have these structures and the land, and there are a lot of alternatives that could be done. There's another factor that I haven't mentioned and that is the fact that we've got, like, a 10-day or 12-day State Fair. We're trying to utilize millions of dollars worth of properties on a very short term. Now there are other programs. I know Senator Landis referred to the Lancaster County Event Center. If we handled some things in a more prudent manner, we've engaged in the intergovernmental agreements that you can reach, I think that there are possibilities, for example, of utilizing...

SENATOR COORDSEN: One minute.

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: ...some...some of those facilities or a cooperative use of facilities and have some of the State Fair or all of the State Fair at a different location, perhaps even where the Lancaster Event Center is, in conjunction with that. I think that we are going into something now that we have not fully thought through and I would say that the better course would be to vote down the Agriculture Committee amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Senator Pederson. Senator Janssen, please.